

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development, Department – Sri V. Venkateswarulu, Panchayat Secretary (Retired), Leguntapadu Gram Panchayat, Kovuru Mandal of SPSR Nellore District – Disciplinary action initiated – Charges framed – Enquiry conducted – Charges proved – Enquiry report communicated – Representation received – Show cause notice issued – Explanation received – Imposing a penalty of 20% cut in pension permanently besides recovery of Rs.53,160/- under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised pension Rules, 1980 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 821,

Dated: 25.08.2014.

Read the following

1. Lr.No.329/07-A2, DT.19.09.2009 & Dt.22.09.2009 of the District Collector, Nellore District.
2. Charge Memo.No.11523/CPR&RE/B3/08, Dt.08.10.10 of the CPR&RE, AP-Hyd.
3. Lr.No.329/2007-A4, Dt.27.01.2011 of the District Collector, Nellore District.
4. Procs.No.11523/CPR/B3/09, Dt.08.07.2011 of the CPR&RE, AP-Hyd.
5. Lr.No.D2/3957/2011, Dt.26.09.2011 of the CEO & EO, ZPP SPSR Nellore District along with enquiry report.
6. Memo.No.11523/CPR&RE/B3/2008, Dt.16.11.2011 of the CPR&RE, AP-Hyd.
7. Representation dt.09.12.2011 of Sri V. Venkateswarulu, Pt. Secy. (Retd.), Leguntapadu Gram Panchayat.
8. From the CPR&RE, AP-Hyd., Lr.No.11523/CPR&RE/B3/2009, Dt.01.05.2012.
9. Memo.No.19246/Vig.IV/A2/2008, Dt. 09.12.2013.
- 10.Explanation of Sri V. Venkateswarulu, Pt. Secy. (Retd.), Leguntapadu Gram Panchayat.
- 11.Govt., Letter No.19246/Vig.Iv/A2/2008-39, dated:14.02.2014.
- 12.From the APPSC., Lr.No.1785/RT/3/2013, dated:12.03.2014.

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In the reference 2nd read above, disciplinary proceedings were initiated by the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad, on Sri V. Venkateswarulu, Panchayat Secretary (Retired), Gram Panchayat Leguntapadu of Kovurru Mandal of SPSR Nellore District by framing of article of charges under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (CC&A) Rules, 1991, based on the report of the District Collector, SPSR Nellore District, vide reference 1st read above, on the irregularities committed by him and he has submitted his written statement of defence denying the charges framed against him vide reference 3rd read above.

2. After considering the Written Statement of Defence of the Charged Officer, in the reference 4th read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad has appointed the Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Praja Parishad, SPSR Nellore District, as Enquiry Officer to inquire into the charges framed against the Charged Officer Sri V. Venkateswarlu, Panchayat Secretary (Retired), Gram Panchayat Leguntapadu of Kovurru Mandal of SPSR Nellore District and the District Panchayat Officer, SPSR Nellore District was appointed as presenting officer to present the case before the Enquiry Officer on behalf the disciplinary authority.

3. In the reference 5th read above, the Chief Executive Officer & Enquiry Officer, Zilla Praja Parishad SPSR Nellore District after conducting regular enquiry has submitted his report holding that, the charges are held proved against the Charged Officer Sri V.Venkateswarlu, Panchayat Secretary (Retd)

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Gram Panchayat Leguntapadu of Kovurru Mandal of SPSR Nellore District in the enquiry.

4. In the reference 6th read above, the enquiry report was communicated to the Charged Officer calling for his representation on the Enquiry report, as required under Rule 21 (4) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and he has submitted his representation vide reference 7th read above.

5. In the reference 8th read above, the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, Hyderabad, while enclosing connected records, has requested the Government to issue final orders in the case as the employee retired from service and the Government are the competent authority under Rule 9 of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, to impose the punishment.

6. Government after careful examination of the matter and having regard to the circumstances of the case have provisionally decided to impose a punishment of 20% cut in pension permanently besides recovery of Rs.53,160/- under Rule 9(7) of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules 1980, against the Charged Officer Sri V. Venkateswarlu, Panchayat Secretary (Retired), Gram Panchayat Leguntapadu of Kovurru Mandal of SPSR Nellore District. Accordingly, a show case notice has been issued to him for calling explanation vide reference 9th read above. He has submitted his explanation to the show cause Notice vide reference 10th read above, denying all the charges framed against him.

7. The Secretary, A.P. Public Service Commission, who was consulted in the matter in the reference 11th read above, on the proposed punishment of Government has agreed to impose the penalty of 20% cut in his pension permanently besides recovery of Rs.53,160/- under Rule 9(7) of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules 1980, against Sri V. Venkateswarlu, Panchayat Secretary (Retired), Gram Panchayat Leguntapadu of Kovurru Mandal of SPSR Nellore District vide reference 12th read above.

8. Government after careful examination of the matter with reference to the material on records, explanation offered by the individual, findings of the inquiry officer and concurrence of the APPSC, have decided to impose a punishment of 20% cut in his pension permanently besides recovery of Rs.53,160/- under Rule 9(7) of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules 1980, against Sri V. Venkateswarlu, Panchayat Secretary (Retired), Gram Panchayat Leguntapadu of Kovurru Mandal of SPSR Nellore District. Accordingly, Govt., hereby impose a punishment of 20% cut in pension permanently besides recovery of Rs.53,160/- under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised pension Rules, 1980 against Sri V. Venkateswarulu, Panchayat Secretary (Retired), Gram Panchayat Leguntapadu of Kovurru Mandal of SPSR Nellore District.

9. The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad/ District Panchayat Officer, SPSR Nellore District shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

To

The Individual through the Commissioner, Panchayat Raj &
Rural Employment, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj & Rural Employment, Hyderabad.

The District Panchayat Officer, SPSR Nellore District.

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The Account General, AP. Hyderabad.
The District Treasury officer, SPSR Nellore District.
The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner,
 A.P. Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad,
The Secretary to A.P Public Service Commission,
The P.S. to M(PR&RWS).
The P.S. to Principal Secretary to (PR).
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